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TI A comparison of the chilling-stress response in two differentially tolerant cultivars of tomato (Lycopersicon esculentum).

The chilling responses of two differentially cold tolerant cultivars of AB tomato were monitored through in vivo labelling of polypeptides with [35S]methionine, both during a gradual temperature decrease (2 degrees C/day) and also during a rapid cold shock (4 degrees C). The polypeptides were separated by one-dimensional sodium dodecyl sulfate-polyacrylamide gel electrophoresis and revealed by fluorography. Both cultivars showed changes in the polypeptide profiles resulting from either chilling treatment. During the gradual temperature decrease, there were few differences exhibited between the two cultivars. However, during cold shock both cultivars showed the altered synthesis of several unique polypeptides. Both cultivars showed the appearance of a 35-kDa polypeptide during the gradual temperature decrease and also during the cold shock. The appearance of three high relative mass polypeptides was found in both cultivars only during the gradual temperature decrease. Treatments with cycloheximide and chloramphenicol suggested that cold-shock polypeptides are both nuclear and organelle encoded. The cold-shock response in roots was different from the response in leaves and between cultivars. A comparison of the two cultivars showed a number of differences in polypeptide synthesis which may be related to increased cold tolerance.

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TITLE: A comparison of the chilling-stress response in two

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CORPORATE SOURCE: J. Tuzo Wilson Research Laboratories, Department of

Botany,

University of Toronto, Mississauga, Ont., Canada.

SOURCE: BIOCHEMISTRY AND CELL BIOLOGY, (1992 Mar-Apr) 70 (3-4)

191-8.

Journal code: ALR; 8606068. ISSN: 0829-8211.

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TI Cold tolerances in plants.

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999:74398 BIOSIS DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV199900074398

TITLE: Cold tolerances in plants.

AUTHOR(S): Griffith, M. CORPORATE SOURCE: Waterloo Canada

ASSIGNEE: UNIVERSITY OF WATERLOO

PATENT INFORMATION: US 5852172 Dec. 22, 1998

SOURCE: Official Gazette of the United States Patent and Trademark

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ISSN: 0098-1133.

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TI PROTEIN SYNTHESIS AT LOW TEMPERATURES IN TWO SOYBEAN CULTIVARS DIFFERING

BY THEIR COLD SENSITIVITY.

The effect of low temperature (14.degree.C/8.degree.C, day/night) on polypeptide synthetis in leaves of two soybean (Gly le max [L.] AΒ Merr.) cvs (Verdon and Maple Arrow) differing in cold sensitivity was investigated. The two cultivars were initially characterized in terms of cold tolerance according to their growth at the young plant stage at 14.degree. C/8.degree. C. Verdon was found to be more tolerant than Maple Arrow. In vivo [358]-methionine labeled polypeptides were resolved by two-dimensional electrophoresis. Autoradiograms were computer analyzed to evidence and quantify significative changes occurring after 5 days at 14.degree. C/8.degree. C, and to compare the response of the two cultivars. Most of the observed changes were quantitative. The two cultivars essentially exhibited a common modified polypeptide pattern in response to cold temperatures, but the changes were quantitatively more pronounced in the most tolerant cultivar. Computer analysis of two-dimensional electrophoresis gels allowed, for the first time, characterization of cultivar differences in terms of protein pattern under cold conditions.

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1992:506804 BIOSIS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: BA94:125329

TITLE: PROTEIN SYNTHESIS AT LOW TEMPERATURES IN TWO SOYBEAN

CULTIVARS DIFFERING BY THEIR COLD SENSITIVITY.

AUTHOR(S): CABANE M; VINCENS P; BOUDET A M

CORPORATE SOURCE: CENTRE RECHERCHE, BIOLOIGIE PHYSIOLOGIE VEGETALES, URA

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SOURCE: PHYSIOL PLANT, (1992) 85 (4), 573-580.

CODEN: PHPLAI. ISSN: 0031-9317.

FILE SEGMENT: BA; OLD LANGUAGE: English

L3 ANSWER 4 OF 11 EMBASE COPYRIGHT 2002 ELSEVIER SCI. B.V.

TI Isolation and characterization of a novel antifreeze protein from carrot (Daucus carota).

AB A modified assay for inhibition of ice recrystallization which allows unequivocal identification of activity in **plant** extracts is described. Using this assay a novel, cold-induced, 36 kDa antifreeze protein has been isolated from the tap root of cold-acclimated carrot (Daucus carota) plants. This protein inhibits the recrystallization of

ice

and exhibits thermal-hysteresis activity. The **polypeptide** behaves as monomer in solution and is N-glycosylated. The corresponding gene is unique in the carrot genome and induced by cold. The antifreeze protein appears to be localized within the apoplast.

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999215597 EMBASE

TITLE: Isolation and characterization of a novel antifreeze

protein from carrot (Daucus carota).

AUTHOR: Smallwood M.; Worrall D.; Byass L.; Elias L.; Ashford D.;

Doucet C.J.; Holt C.; Telford J.; Lillford P.; Bowles D.J.

CORPORATE SOURCE: M. Smallwood, The Plant Laboratory, Department of Biology,

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TI PROTEIN-SYNTHESIS AT LOW-TEMPERATURES IN 2 SOYBEAN CULTIVARS DIFFERING BY THEIR COLD SENSITIVITY

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THE GENUINE ARTICLE: JL675

TITLE: PROTEIN-SYNTHESIS AT LOW-TEMPERATURES IN 2 SOYBEAN

CULTIVARS DIFFERING BY THEIR COLD SENSITIVITY

AUTHOR: CABANE M (Reprint); VINCENS P; BOUDET A M

CORPORATE SOURCE: CTR RECH BIOL & PHYSIOL VEGETALES, CNRS, URA 1457, 118

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COUNTRY OF AUTHOR: FRANCE

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Novel nucleic acid fragment encoding Fusarium venenatum choline-oxidase polypeptide useful as probes for identifying choline-oxidase from other species and for enhancing cold and salt tolerance of plants; transgenic plant construction

AN 2001-04105 BIOTECHDS

AB A nucleic acid fragment (I) encoding choline-oxidase (II) (EC-1.1.3.17) obtained from Fusarium venenatum is claimed. (II) has the disclosed 543, amino acid sequence. (I) encodes a protein with amino acid sequence with

95% identity with amino acids 1-543 of the disclosed sequence or has 95% homology with nucleotides 49-1,677 of a 1,863 nucleotide sequence (disclosed) or encodes a protein with choline-oxidase activity which hybridizes under low stringency conditions with 49-1,677 nucleotides of the disclosed DNA sequence or is a fragment or complementary strand. Also claimed are: a construct containing (I) and control sequences; a recombinant expression vector containing the construct; a recombinant host cell containing the construct; and production of (II) involving culturing the transformed host cell under conditions suitable for production of the protein; and isolated nucleic acid fragment encoding a fusion protein. (I) is used as a DNA probe and in forming transgenic plants e.g. Arabidopsis sp. with increased cold

tolerance and salt tolerance. (I) is contained in Escherichia coli NRRN B-30066 in plasmid pFD0808. (20pp)

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001-04105 BIOTECHDS

TITLE: Novel nucleic acid fragment encoding Fusarium venenatum

choline-oxidase polypeptide useful as probes for

identifying choline-oxidase from other species and for

enhancing cold and salt tolerance of plants;

transgenic plant construction

AUTHOR: Yave ; Berka R M; Rey M W

PATENT ASSIGNEE: Novo-Nordisk LOCATION: Davis, CA, USA.

PATENT INFO: US 6146864 14 Nov 2000 APPLICATION INFO: US 1999-443087 18 Nov 1999 PRIORITY INFO: US 1999-443087 18 Nov 1999

DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent LANGUAGE: English

OTHER SOURCE: WPI: 2001-049054 [06]

L3 ANSWER 7 OF 11 BIOTECHDS COPYRIGHT 2002 DERWENT INFO AND ISI

TI New isolated antifreeze polypeptide from fish skin;

recombinant antifreeze protein production for use in the food

industry

and gene for use in imparting cold tolerance or

freezing tolerance to animal, plant, fungus, bacterium cell

AN 1997-11051 BIOTECHDS

AB An isolated skin-type intracellular antifreeze protein (sAFP) is claimed,

where sAFP: comprises an N-terminal MDAP subsequence; comprises an internal AATAAAAKAAA subsequence; does not comprise a signal peptide; induces a concentration-dependent decrease in the freezing point of an aq. solution. Also claimed are: conservative modifications of sAFP; an isolated intracellular sAFP encoded by a coding nucleic acid which hybridizes to a sAFP nucleic acid selected from sAFP1, sAFP2, sAFP3, sAFP4, sAFP5, sAFP6, sAFP7, sAFP8, F2 and 11-3, where the coding nucleic acid does not hybridize to a pkenc17 nucleic acid; an expression vector containing the nucleic acid encoding the sAFP; a recombinant cell containing the sAFP nucleic acid; a method for making an aq. composition resistant to freezing, which involves adding sAFP to the composition; an antibody specific for sAFP, which does not bind to liver-type AFP; and a recombinant skin-type promoter, which comprises nucleic acids which direct high levels of expression of nucleic acid in the skin of winter flounder. AFPs are useful in the food industry and in providing

cold tolerance to plant, fungus, animal and

bacterium cells. (104pp)

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1997-11051 BIOTECHDS

TITLE: New isolated antifreeze polypeptide from fish skin;

recombinant antifreeze protein production for use in the

food industry and gene for use in imparting cold

tolerance or freezing tolerance to animal,

plant, fungus, bacterium cell

AUTHOR: Hew C; Gong Z
PATENT ASSIGNEE: HSC-Res.Develop.

LOCATION: Toronto, Ontario, Canada. PATENT INFO: WO 9728260 7 Aug 1997 APPLICATION INFO: WO 1996-CA62 31 Jan 1996 PRIORITY INFO: US 1996-10920 31 Jan 1996

DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent LANGUAGE: English

OTHER SOURCE: WPI: 1997-402614 [37]

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New isolated gene encoding delta-9-desaturase of cyanobacteria;

recombinant stearoyl-CoA-desaturase preparation; protein and DNA sequence

AN 1995-06711 BIOTECHDS

AB A recombinant stearoyl-CoA-desaturase (EC-1.14.99.5, delta-9-desaturase) represented by a specified protein sequence is claimed. Also claimed are: (a) an isolated gene (DNA sequence specified) encoding the stearoyl-CoA-desaturase; (b) a recombinant vector capable of expressing

polypeptide encoded by the gene; (c) a transformant obtained by transforming a hard cell with the recombinant vector; and (d) a method for producing the ecombinant stearoyl-CoA-desature involving growing the transformant in a medium and recovering the expression product. The gene is useful for improving the composition of fatty acids of animals, plants and microorganisms, and for producing animals, plants or

which tolerate low temp. In an example, genomic DNA fragments of Synechocystis PCC6803 were ligated into phage lambda-DASH-II. Following transformation of Escherichia coli, plaque hybridization was performed using Anabaena variabilis desC gene as a probe. A 6 kb fragment was subcloned into plasmid pBluescript-II-KS+ and the homologous region was sequenced, showing 64% homology with desC. (14pp)

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1995-06711 BIOTECHDS

TITLE: New isolated gene encoding delta-9-desaturase of

cyanobacteria;

recombinant stearoyl-CoA-desaturase preparation; protein

and DNA sequence

AUTHOR: Murata N

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PATENT ASSIGNEE: Tohoku-Elec.Power; Mitsubishi; Mitsubishi-Chem.

PATENT INFO: EP 644263 22 Mar 1995

APPLICATION INFO: EP 1994-114957 22 Sep 1994 PRIORITY INFO: JP 1993-236720 22 Sep 1993

DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent LANGUAGE: English

OTHER SOURCE: WPI: 1995-116988 [16]

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TI Chilling resistant transgenic higher plant;

transgenic plant with cold tolerance

containing a spinach, pea or Arabidopsis sp. glycerol-3-phosphate-acyltransferase gene, for decreased membrane saturated phosphatidylglycerol content

AN 1992-12564 BIOTECHDS

The following are new: a higher transgenic plant with an AB increased proportion of unsaturated fatty acids in at least 1 of its lipid classes; a process for increasing the unsaturated fatty acid content in lipids of a higher plant, by introducing exogenous DNA encoding a polypeptide with glycerol-3-phosphateacyltransferase (EC-2.3.1.15) activity (e.g. from cold tolerant spinach (Spinacia oleracea), pea (Pisum sativum) or Arabidopsis sp., with a higher substrate selectivity for oleoyl-acyl carrier protein (ACP) than for palmitoyl-ACP; a transgenic plant with a lowered critical temp. for chilling than normal, with a decreased proportion of saturated phosphatidylglycerol (PG) in its cell membranes; and a process for lowering the critical temp. for chilling injury of a higher plant , by decreasing the content of saturated PG in its cell membranes. The method is used for increasing cold tolerance in e.g. rice (Oryza sativa), maize (Zea mays), yam (Dioscorea sp.), cucumber (Cucumis sativa), bell pepper (Capsicum annuum), aubergine (Solanum melongena), banana (Musa sapientum), melon (Cucumis melo), rose (Rosa sp.), tobacco (Nicotiana tabacum), etc. (43pp)

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1992-12564 BIOTECHDS

TITLE: Chilling resistant transgenic higher plant;

transgenic plant with cold

tolerance containing a spinach, pea or Arabidopsis sp. glycerol-3-phosphate-acyltransferase gene, for

decreased membrane saturated phosphatidylglycerol content

PATENT ASSIGNEE: Kirin-Beer

PATENT INFO: WO 9213082 6 Aug 1992 APPLICATION INFO: WO 1992-JP24 14 Jan 1992

PRIORITY INFO: JP 1991-83807 4 Oct 1991; JP 1991-5883 16 Jan 1991

DOCUMENT TYPE: Patent LANGUAGE: English

OTHER SOURCE: WPI: 1992-284667 [34]

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TI Alteration of gene expression during the induction of freezing tolerance in Brassica napus suspension cultures;

rape crop improvement

AN 1988-01920 BIOTECHDS

AB A suspension culture of winter rape (Brassica napus cv Jet Neuf) was hardened to a lower lethal temp. for 50% of the sample at -20 deg in 8 days at RT with 50 ug abscisic acid (ABA). Cold-hardened plants were vernalized at 4 deg under a 16 hr/8hr day/night photoperiod for 12 wk. Freeze-testing of cells was by incubating cells at 0 deg for 30 min and adding dry ice every 30 min which lowered the temp. stepwise by -2.5

deg.

SDS-PAGE of the polypeptides initially extracted in phosphate buffer showed a 17 KDa soluble band and a 20 KDa membrane-bound

polypeptide. Heat shock did not cause an immediate increase in freezing tolerance nor did it alter the induction of freezing tolerance over the 8-day hardening period. Total RNA levels were higher in hardened

cells on day 8 than in non-hardened ones. The amount of 20 KDa ER-bound **polypeptide** increased during hardening and may have fused as vesicles with the plasma membrane altering its low temp. tolerance. (33 ref)

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1988-01920 BIOTECHDS

TITLE: Alteration of gene expression during the induction of

freezing tolerance in Brassica napus suspension cultures;

rape crop improvement

AUTHOR: Johnson-Flanagan A M; *Singh J

CORPORATE SOURCE: Agr.Canada

LOCATION: Plant Research Centre, Agriculture Canada, Ottawa, Ontario

K1A 0C6, Canada.

SOURCE: Plant Physiol.; (1987) 85, 3, 699-705

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DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal LANGUAGE: English

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TI Abscisic acid and low temperature induced **polypeptide** changes
in alfalfa (Medicago sativa) cell suspension cultures;

investigation of cold tolerance mechanism

AN 1987-03161 BIOTECHDS

AB Freezing resistance was induced in alfalfa (Medicago sativa) suspension cultures by growth at low temp. (3 deg) for 6 days, or by growth in the presence of 0.75 mM abscisic acid (ABA) at 23 deg for 4 days. Changes

in
extracellular, cellular and subcellular proteins in the 2 types of
suspension culture, and in a control, were investigated by
SDS-polyacrylamide gel electrophoresis. Extracellular proteins from 4to

6-day old ABA and low temp. grown alfalfa cells showed decreased electrophoretic mobilities, lacked a 190-kDa glycoprotein, and had reduced amounts of 4 other polypeptides. In total cell protein analyses,

a 42-kDa protein was enriched in both ABA and low temp. treated alfalfa cells. Several proteins increased or induced by exogenous ABA treatment were observed in the extracellular (12.5 and 13-15 kDa), total cell and cell wall (24 kDa), and soluble (20, 37 and 41 kDa) fractions. However, no major protein changes were resolved by 1-dimensional electrophoretic analyses of crude membrane proteins. (18 ref)

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1987-03161 BIOTECHDS

TITLE: Abscisic acid and low temperature induced **polypeptide** changes in alfalfa (Medicago sativa) cell suspension

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AUTHOR:

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LOCATION:

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PATENT ASSIGNEE: HSC-Res.Develop.
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